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Dear Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER ACCOMPANYING AMENDMENT AFTER
ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312**

Please make the amendments shown in the attached papers in this application in the:

- ☐ abstract.
- ☐ specification.
- ☒ drawings.
- ☐ claims.
- ☒ This Amendment is needed for proper disclosure or protection of the invention and requires no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the PTO.
- ☐ This Amendment affects the disclosure or scope of a claim. The attached Amendment sets forth the reasons why the Amendment is needed, why the proposed amended or new claims require no additional search or examination, why the claims are patentable, and why they were not earlier presented.
- ☒ The issue fee:
 - ☒ has not been paid.

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☐ is paid separately herewith.

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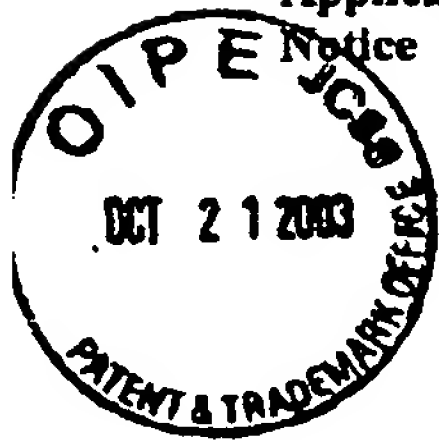
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COMMUNICATION AFTER ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated August 26, 2003, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ Amendments to the Specification begin on page of this paper.
- ☐ Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page of this paper.
- ☒ Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Drawings

The attached sheet(s) of drawings includes changes to the margins of Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3. The sheet(s), which includes Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3, replaces the original sheet(s) including Fig(s) 1, 2 and 3.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet(s) 1, 2 and 3

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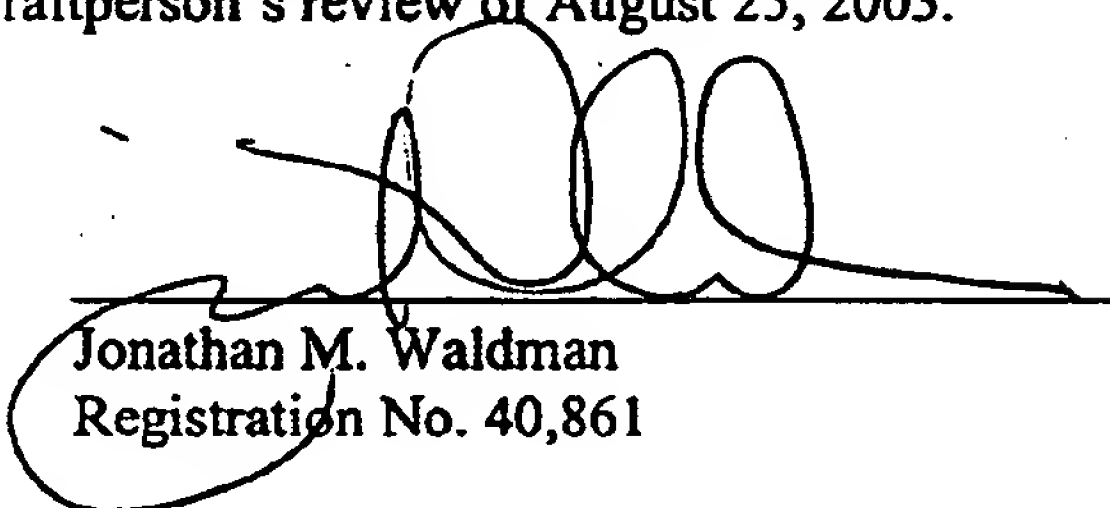
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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant submits three replacement sheets of drawings containing FIGS. 1, 2 and 3 correcting unacceptable margins set forth in the draftperson's review of August 25, 2003.

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